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**TERMS.**

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*For the Boston Recorder.*

**THE AFRICANS.**

profound influence on the character and condition of Africa. Already it exhibits the aspect of an infant nation, supplying all within its boundaries with the means of education and religious instruction, and dealing with almost unexampled rapidity its territory, its agriculture, trade and manufactures, and leading forth to the savage tribes around it an example which they approve and admire, and which they are anxious to imitate. The projectors and managers of this great experiment, were not so visionary as to expect success without the active cooperation of those by whom it ought to be rendered effectual. And when they look at the exceedingly slender means that have been afforded them, they are astonished that their attempt, instead of being a total failure, has been thus far so eminently successful. The hand of kind Providence has, doubtless,

ulation of extensive portions of the South; nor the victims of vice and infidelity congregated in large cities; nor to places specially distinguished by wickedness and a deprivation of the Gospel; we refer to these—but we refer also to the most favored portions of our whole land, whether in New England or out of it, and we say that *even there* (taking any portion of considerable size,) *will be found very few families, who absent themselves wholly from the house of God, who are destitute of the Bible or neglect to read it; on whom no minister of the Gospel calls to converse with them on eternal things*

to be *carried and tendered* to men who will not conform after it, in their own places of abode! Are the not fruits of the motives of the Spirit? And is God waiting to be gracious? Let us boware him resist these motions, and grieve away the Heavenly Messenger. Let us follow with the tenderest concern and the most filial obedience, where he would lead. His call is "sow." Let us not fend the blessed friend of our hearts by saying, "thy way for this time!" Let us come up steadily and with unshaken confidence to the discharge

## SABBATH SCHOOLS.

...to my kingdom.

### REFLECTIONS.

9. The Father, Son, and Spirit are here spoke of as exercising individual agency, and yet in such a manner as to imply a *unity* of some sort.

## HOME MISSIONS

**MASSACHUSETTS MISSIONARY SOCIETY**

*Productiveness of these labors.*  
In connexion with these obvious and important results, the fact ought not to be overlooked

It still is inquired,—"why liberal individuals do not confine their benevolence to the *abolition* of such a course appears to them injudicious—unwarranted by scripture—and inconsistent with their privileges; *injudicious*,—because they would tacitly reproach others, or encourage their covetousness, or warrant the charge of forwardness and assumption against themselves; *unwarranted by scripture*, which requires those who freely receive, freely to give; *inconsistent with their privileges* for it is a privilege of unspeakable worth to do good and communicate to all men as opportunity offers.—But with very few exceptions, our feeble parishes are exerting themselves in their corporate capacity far beyond what is done, in parishes that require no aid from abroad. In some cases, they not only pay double, but ten fold more than is paid in parishes generally—or than they themselves would be obliged to pay, could they conscientiously sit under the ministry of another gospel.

## RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE

## RELIGION IN BUENOS AYRES

The most encouraging facts mentioned by Mr. Parvin, late to the schools. In one case a schoolmaster who had previously procured twenty copies of Doddridge's *Rise and Progress*, purchased of Mr. P. two or three Bibles, several additional copies of Doddridge, and thirty volumes of Tracts as reading books for his pupils.

*From the Religious Intelligencer*

PROGRESS OF EDUCATION IN GREECE.

But this school has also become a blessing for the rounding islands. I have been requested by the governor of the Northern Cyclades, to arrange all the schools of the department according to ours here. I have already estab-

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**Fourth of July Addresses.**—In Boston, at Federal street Church, at 9 o'clock, A. M. by Rev. Mr. Malcom, before the Sunday School Scholars of the Baptist Sunday School Union. At 12 noon, by Hon. James T. Austin, in the Old South Church. At 4 o'clock, P. M. by Mr. Wm. L. Garrison, at Park-street Church, before the Evangelical Society in Boston. Also, at 4, the Rev. Dr. Sharp, at his Church in Charlestown. In Salem, at the Tabernacle Church, by Rev. Samuel M. Worcester, Professor in Amherst College. In Northbridge, Rev. Addison Parker. In Newbury, Rev. Leonard Withington. In Manchester, Rev. John P. Cleveland. In Haverhill, Calvin E. Stowe. In Andover, Rev. Bailey Loring, before the Temperance Society of that town.

#### TEMPERANCE IN BOSTON.

Since our last, the Rev. Mr. Hewitt has prosecuted his undertaking in this city, according to the arrangement there mentioned; having preached on Friday, Sabbath and Tuesday evenings, to audiences extremely crowded. He is bold and vehement in attacking intemperance and all its causes and concomitants, and the impression made on almost every mind is strong and deep. The first fruit of his efforts here was the formation of the Society mentioned below, which took place before his second discourse was delivered. To-morrow evening, Mr. Hewitt will preach at the Rev. Mr. Jacobs' Church in Cambridgeport. On Sabbath evening, at Park-street Church again.

#### PARK STREET TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.

On the 25th ult., at a meeting of Gentlemen connected with Park Street Church and Congregation, an Auxiliary Temperance Society was organized, which adopted the Constitution recommended by the American Temperance Society, and made choice of the following persons as Officers for the year ensuing.

**President,** Rev. EDWARD BEECHER.—**Vice President,** Dea. JEREMIAH EVANS.—**Treasurer,** Mr. ANN WARD.—**Secretary,** Mr. JOHN DANE.—**Auditor,** Mr. GEORGE DENNY.—**Executive Committee.**—Messrs. Wm. T. Eustis, Mark Ware, Walter Greenough, Lowell Mason, James C. O'Brien, Joseph W. Blake, John Slade, Jr., John Benson, Wm. Peirce, Joseph Jenkins, Jr.

**Honorary Vice Presidents.**—Dea. Josiah Burnside, Dea. Nathaniel Willis, Dea. Henry Hill, Rev. Louis Dwight, Col. Joseph Jenkins, Horatio M. Willis, Esq.

#### PROGRESS OF TEMPERANCE.

**Temperance among Seamen.**—On the 25th of April last the Schooner Fair Trader sailed from Boston on a sailing voyage. Among their stores was a keg containing four Gallons of Rum. Previous to sailing, the Captain, and several of the crew, called at the Seamen's Depository, and received Books and Tracts, and among them Beecher's Sermons on Intemperance. The Books were all read on board, and about a week since the vessel returned, bringing back the keg of rum unbroken. The Captain and crew, called at the Seamen's Depository after their return, and received a fresh supply of Books and Tracts, and have departed again to sea. Such a fact is most encouraging. It shows a progress among Seamen, and it is the duty of the friends of the cause to persevere in the work of the promotion of religion among this interesting class of men. And who that has contributed Books or Tracts to supply the Seamen's Depository will feel amply compensated when such encouraging facts are disclosed.

**Communicated.**  
A Merchant of Boston has just fitted out a vessel, which sails without ardent spirits on board; and has also sent direct to his farm in the country, that none shall be used there.

**The Middlesex Temperance Society.**—Cons. goes on in its strength. At the last monthly meeting, the accessions reported were, 45 male members and 56 female; making the present number in 16 towns and parishes, 854 male, 915 female, total 1769. It was organized only last September. The Connecticut Observer contains the number of each sex in each town. The largest numbers are in North Lyme, being 135 males, 161 females. All societies which are duly reported to the Secretary of the State Society, will have their lists inserted in the Observer in like manner.

**In New-Haven.**—The cause of Temperance has dragged, except in the hands of young men. Efforts are now making for more extended operations. On the evening of the 24th ult., the Rev. Mr. Benson, Secretary of the Connecticut Temperance Society, before a large audience.

**Cause of Temperance.**—A meeting of the Young Men's Society in Hartford, for the promotion of Temperance, was held in the North Conference Room, on the evening of the 24th inst. A vivid and powerful address was delivered by the Rev. J. H. Kennedy, Secretary of the Connecticut Temperance Society. It was truly gratifying to see so large an assembly of young men on such an occasion, and to witness the deep feeling which seemed to pervade every mind.

**Another Example.**—Mr. Josiah W. Mills, of West Hartford, has resolved, we understand, to banish ardent spirits from his bar.

**County Temperance Society.**—A County Temperance Society, we understand, was formed at Litchfield, on the 23d inst., on the principle of entire abstinence. Much interest was manifested in the subject.

**The Young Men's Association of Philadelphia.**—held its first annual meeting. Its numbers have increased from 200 to nearly 500. The Society has increased by the publication of pamphlets, and by the gratuitous labors of their President, the Rev. J. H. Kennedy. The Society will meet again on the anniversary of Independence.

**Progress of Temperance.**—The Temperance Society for the County of Rutland, Vt., was formed at Rutland, on the 24th ult., when 61 persons signed the constitution.

**A Temperance Society** has been formed at Mount Nelson, Butler county, Pa., consisting of 24 members. The members resolved not to assist in raising to office any person who is known to indulge in the habits of intemperance.

**On the 23d of May,** a Temperance Society was formed in Liberty County, Ga.

A militia captain at Foster, R. I., has been tried, on complaint of a private in his company, for taking his company to a tavern and treating them with rum. He was fined \$20, and sentenced to pay cost of prosecution. He has appealed to a higher court. It would be better to persuade than compel him. Suppose the company, next time, should politely decline receiving the treat.

**An Example for Mechanics.**—A writer in the Charleston Courier states that one of the most respectable mechanics in that city, does not allow any quantity of rum or other spirituous liquors to be sold in his workshop, and that he has the most healthy, orderly and industrious workmen to be found anywhere.

**Messrs. Editors.**—As many gentlemen in the city are attending to hear the discourses of Mr. Hewitt on the subject of Temperance, who, on account of the number of the attendants, cannot be accommodated in the meeting-places in which he preaches, I would inquire whether there might not be a meeting in Faneuil-Hall, where all gentlemen who wish may have an opportunity to hear him? E.

#### NEW PUBLICATIONS.

**An Appeal in behalf of Missions:** addressed to Episcopals.—A Sermon preached at Philadelphia, May 12, 1829, before the Board of Missions of the Episcopal Church, by Rev. Abner Porter, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Boston. R. P. & C. Williams.—Text, Rom. I. 15.—We are happy to see this able sermon, laid within the reach of all classes of the community; and more particularly so, that the writer has "addressed to Episcopals," an "appeal in behalf of missions" which they cannot fail to hear. The extracts we shall make will be its best recommendation.

**Christian Reader.**—This is the title of a book just published by the American Tract Society, designed for the use of schools in the United States. It contains 403 pages, 12 mo. It has been prepared by the Committee at the suggestion of several teachers of youth—and embraces thirty-two of the most interesting Tracts published by the Society. It has been stereotyped—and will be sold at fifty cents a copy, full bound in sheep, and a liberal discount will be made to bookellers. As a Reading Book, we think it will be well received, and be salutary in its moral and religious tendency.—Conn. Obs.

**Review, &c.**—The Review of the controversy between the Methodists and Presbyterians in Central Virginia, which first appeared in the Richmond Family Visitor, has been published in a duodecimo volume of 168 pages. Price of a single copy in boards, 50 cents.

#### YOUTH'S COMPANION.

Published Weekly, at the Office of the Boston Recorder. Price One Dollar a year in advance.

The third Volume commenced a few weeks since. A few sets remain on hand, which may be had, if applied for soon. Contents of No. 1.—Narrative. A Sketch of Miss Nevill's Character.—Benevolence. Ralph Edwards who saved a lad from drowning.—Morality. Appeal of a youth to his Companions, on Intemperance.—Natural History.

**Anecdotes of Ants.**—Anecdotes of an Eagle.—Dialogue. Louis and Caroline, on Missions.—Editorial. To our Readers.—Miscellany. Oriental Illustration of Psalm xxii. 5. Emphasis. Juvenile Philosophy. Useful Remarks.—Poetry. The Idiot Boy. Stanza.

**Contents of No. 2.**—Narrative. Reformed Edward.—Morality. Against the abuse of Cattle.—The Nursery. The Little Beggars.—Benevolence. Poor Sarah.—Natural History. Anecdotes of an American Crow.—Learning. Conversation about Government.—History. Stupendous Waterfall.—Biography. Anecdotes of Dr. Franklin.—Miscellany. Sabbath School Anecdote.—Poetry. A Dream in Antiqua. On the Approach of Spring.

#### RELIGIOUS SUMMARY.

**Episcopals in Maryland.**—The Episcopal Convention of Maryland, at their late session, made a second and unsuccessful attempt to elect a Bishop in place of Dr. Kemp Edwards. Dr. Wyatt was the High Church candidate, opposed at one time by the name of the Rev. Mr. Johns; at another, by that of the Rev. Mr. Henshaw. The friends of Mr. Johns had a majority in the meeting of the Clergy; but as the constitution requires two thirds, the nomination did not go to the House of Delegates.

**Every Clergyman a Missionary.**—The late Convention of the Diocese of Georgia has instructed its delegates to the next General Convention, to propose the adoption of a general canon, which provides that no Clergyman shall be allowed to settle in any city or populous town, "until he shall have served for at least two years, as a missionary in some destitute part of the country, or shall have been instrumental in building up some new church or congregation."

**Missionary Bishop.**—Churches of the Episcopal order are scattered over extensive regions in the western and southern States, which are not within any of the present dioceses. A writer in the Ep. Watchman proposes that a Missionary Bishop be sent out, like the Bishop of India and Bp. Luscombe in France, to superintend the work of the churches; and that he be supported by the Missionary Society, making regular reports to them and to the General Convention.

**Ministers Wanted.**—During the last six months, application has been made to Professor Schumaker of the Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, for thirty ministers, for vacant churches in different sections of the United States! The whole number of students in the Seminary is only 24, and of these, we believe, only eight are in the Senior class. The fourth of the year, and the number of students, have been disappointed. This is not a solitary case. All our best talent societies complain of the want of men. "The harvest is great but the laborers are few."—N. Y. Obs.

**During his late visit** to this city and Philadelphia, Professor Schumaker, of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, collected \$2000 towards the establishment of a second professorship in that institution. Two thousand dollars had been previously subscribed, and at a recent meeting of the Board of Directors, agents were appointed to visit Maryland and Virginia with the hope of completing the sum of \$10,000 during the present summer.—id.

**Kenyon College.**—A fellow-citizen, "differing in creed," but prompted by respect for Bishop White, and "warm philanthropy," has offered one thousand dollars, provided some time of the year, and Manchester, similar to that of it, with a few exceptions, have been blessings in Zion.

**Hamilton Baptist Seminary.**—The number of pupils has increased to eighty, and very shortly will go far beyond that, if sustained, as it is doubtless will, by adequate contributions from the young men, and Manchester, similar to that of it, with a few exceptions, have been blessings in Zion.

**Fredericksburg Anti-Slavery Society.**—The 14th annual Report shows, that the debtless in Fredericksburg have been fully supplied with the Scriptures by its benevolent friends. The Society have also commenced the work of investigating the destitution in the counties of Spottsylvania and Stafford, and it is believed that the entire supply of these counties will be effected at no distant period.

**Astula County, Ohio.**—The Bible and Tract Societies of this county met at Jefferson, May 27. For many years, liberty in the cause had increased. The Tract Society has circulated 120,000 pages, and has just begun its labors. The Tracts have been well received; have been useful in Sabbath Schools; and it is believed have in a few instances been blessed to the awakening and hopeful conversion of sinners.

**A Tract for every Family.**—On the 27th ult., the Richmond Vt. Tract Society, consisting of 24 members, now instruct their Board of Managers to take measures for carrying into effect a plan of distributing a Tract monthly in every family in this county. The plan was adopted, and which has been successfully adopted by the Tract Society in the city of New-York, and that they be authorized to open an extra subscription to obtain a fund for that purpose. The subscription was commenced on the spot.

**Tracts at Lexington, Ky.**—By the efforts of the Rev. O. Eastman, the Tract operations at Lexington have been revived and extended. The funds of the Depository are increased to about \$100; and a Young Men's Tract Society has been formed.

**Portland.**—A Sabbath school was commenced last Sabbath at the Mariner's Church, for young Sailors and for the children of Seamen. A school for teaching Navigation under the direction of a well qualified instructor is already in the room of the school room, and the children of the Chapel. We understand also, that constant preaching in the Chapel is expected to be maintained.

**United Effort.**—The Orange County Sabbath School Union was formed at Chelsea, Vt. May 25th. It was voted, to establish a Depository at Chelsea.

**New State Sabbath School Society.**—We learn from the Christian Secretary that the Connecticut Baptist Convention at their late meeting, appointed a Committee to devise means, and prepare a plan for a Baptist Sabbath School Society for this State, with power to appoint officers, &c. for the current year.

**Olden Time.**—In 1719, a Church was erected in Wall-street, New York. This was the first Presbyterian church built in that city. To assist the infant congregation in the enterprise, a public collection was taken up in the Colony of Connecticut.—Conn. Obs.

The Vandewater Street Church was sold yesterday at auction for the sum of \$10,900. We understand the purchase was made on account of the mortgages. The society may yet be able to retain the use of the house. [Jour. N. Com.]

A new line of Packet Boats has commenced running between Utica and Schenectady, which runs every day except the Sabbath.

At the sale of pews in the First Baptist Church, recently dedicated in Hanover-street, the whole number of pews sold were 101, leaving 27 vacant. The sum of \$28,960. The church was appraised at \$32,000 and the stores under it, at about \$13,000. The highest price paid for any pew was \$555, the same having been appraised at \$520. On the whole number sold, the sum of \$10,000 was bid over the appraisement.

**Receipts into the Treasury of the American Home Missionary Society** from May 15 to June 15, were: \$1097 36. By the Am. Tract Society in the same time; in Donations, \$1,467 72; for Tracts sold, \$3,720 61; Total, \$5,285 36.

The Trustees of the Western Reserve College, Ohio, have appointed Rev. Warren Fay, D. D. of Charleston, Mass. President of that Institution.

The Rev. Dr. W. B. Sprague, of West Springfield, Mass., has been invited to take charge of the congregation of the 2d Presbyterian church in Albany, late under the care of Dr. Chester, deceased.

#### ORDINATIONS, &c.

On the 24th of June, the Right Rev. Alexander Viets Griswold, D.D. Bishop of the Eastern Diocese, held a special Ordination in Christ Church in this City, and admitted the Rev. WILLIAM CROSWELL, Deacon, and Minister of that Church, and the Rev. Order of the Priesthood; and at the same time installed the Rev. Mr. Croswell as Rector. Morning Prayers were offered by the Rev. George W. Doane, Assistant Minister of Trinity Church; the Sermon was preached by the Right Rev. Bishop; and the Candidate presented by the Rev. Asa Eaton, D.D., late Rector of Christ Church, and now Domestic Missionary in the city of Boston.

The Rev. Isaac Boyle, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Dedham, Rev. Alonzo Potter, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Boston, and the Rev. Thomas W. Coit, Rector of Christ Church, Cambridge, were present and assisting.

Ordained at Plainfield, Vt. on the 10th ult. to the work of the ministry in that place, the Rev. JOSEPH THURVILLE. Sermon by Rev. Eldrick J. Boardman of Danville.

At Shrewsbury, N. J. June 10, the Rev. JAMES M. HESTING was ordained as an Evangelist, by the Pres-

btery of New Brunswick. Sermon by Rev. Dr. Alexander, of the Princeton Theol. Seminary, from 2 Tim. iv. 2. June 17th he was ordained at East Windsor, Conn. as pastor of the Baptist church, the Rev. GUNDO ROZINS, formerly Elder of the Christian Church at Hartford, Sermon by the Rev. Gustavus F. Davis. Separate addresses to different classes composing the assembly, were delivered by the Rev. Messrs. Nelson and Bridges.

Ordained at Stockbridge, Vt. May 27, over the Congregation on Sabbath morning, July 14th. The sermon was from Eph. vi. 12. The Rev. Mr. A. C. Thayer, of Keene, preached the sermon from 1st Thess. ii. 19.

Installed at Andover, Conn. June 24th, 1829, Rev. ALFRED MILLER.—Sermon by Rev. George A. Calhoun, of North Coventry, v. from Exodus xv. 8.

May 15, the Rev. STEPHEN FRONTS, was installed Pastor of the Presbyterian churches of Bethany and Taber, Ireland co. N. C. Sermon by the Rev. Dr. McKee. A new church, of 30 members, was organized in Warwick, on the 10th inst. Sermon by the Rev. Mr. Moody of Northfield. Fellowship of the Churches, by the Rev. Mr. Bradford of Montague. An Orthodox Society was organized in that place a little time previous to the organization of the Church.

The Congregational Meeting-house in Keene, (built more than forty years by the town of Keene, respecting which there has been for some time an unhappy disagreement) has recently been purchased, removed, and fitted up in modern style, by the First Congregational Society in Keene, at an expense of about \$3000. The house was opened with suitable Devotional Services, by Rev. Mr. Barstow, on Sabbath morning, July 14th. The sermon was from Exodus xx. 21. "In all places where I shall record my name, I will come unto you and will bless thee." [N. H. Obs.]

A new Gothic edifice erected for public worship, by St. Thomas' Church in Taunton, was dedicated on the 19th inst. The ceremonies of consecration were performed by Bishop Griswold, and Rev. Mr. Foster, of Boston.—The Rev. Mr. West will for the present officiate as Rector of this church.

On the 14th inst., the new Church in Simsbury, Conn. was consecrated, by the Rev. Bishop Brownell, by the name of St. Andrew's Church.

#### NOTICES.

A Quarterly meeting of the Executive Committee of the Massachusetts Missionary Society, will be held at the "Huntington Room," on Wednesday, July 8th at 3 o'clock P. M. R. S. STORRS, Secretary.

Brainfree, June 27, 1829.

#### QUARTERLY MEETING.

Of the Board of Directors of the Am. Education Society. A Quarterly meeting of the above Board, will be held in Boston, at the office of the Secretary, No. 81 N. 3d street, on Wednesday the 8th day of July 1829. A committee of the Board will meet at the same place, on the day preceding, at 2 o'clock, to examine candidates who may apply for patronage. E. CORNELIUS, Secretary.

#### SECULAR SUMMARY.

##### FOREIGN.

**Affairs of the East.**—An action took place between the Turk and Russian fleets, on the 24th of April, in the straits of Rast. Forty-one Turks were killed among whom was the commander, Hessian Effendi Han. The Turks took refuge in their boats, but the Russians took four of them and sunk six more, with the people in them. The loss of the Russians was between two and three hundred. Affairs in Greece are said to have resumed an unfavorable aspect. Two or three months, it is feared, will bring about terrible changes.

**Massacre in Persia.**—The Russian Ambassador and all his suite (three persons excepted) have been massacred at Tolestan; where he had been for some time, to carry into effect some articles of the late treaty between Russia and Persia respecting Armenian and Georgian subjects of Russia, who he claimed to return to their country. The populace took arms to avenge some Armenian women, concerning whom there had been some dispute, and who had been barbarously used at the Ambassador's house.

**England.**—A seat in the House of Commons, has been refused to Mr. O'Connell, after he had been heard at great length, by a vote of 119 to 119. The clerk was directed to write to the county of Clare, for the election of a member in his place.

**Influence of Emancipation on Emigration from Ireland.**—A vessel sailing from the port of Dublin for America, with between two and three hundred passengers on board, and crew, 24,842, Captain, James H. Smith, Esq., the Captain of which, who is an Englishman, containing accounts of the passing of the Catholic Relief Bill. The greater number of the Emigrants leaving this country, are said to have been induced to do so, by the prospect of a better country, obliged the captain to put them ashore, and willingly forfeiting their passage money, returned to the scenes of their former life, and the expected happiness to be derived from the liberation of their native land.

**A new Lace Manufactory** is about to be established at Clare, in Ireland, which will employ 600 females. Another new factory is also contemplated—both by English capitalists.

**Conscience.**—A Manchester paper states that the Earl of Wintchester, who lately fought a duel with the Duke of Wellington, has resigned his office as a Vice President of the British Society for promoting the Religious Principles of the Reformation. The reason assigned was, that after the violation of the laws of God and man, of which he felt he had been guilty in a recent affair, his name was unfit to appear at the head of a religious institution.

By an arrival at Baltimore, from Gibraltar, information is brought of the death of the Queen of Spain.

**Captain Sir Edward Parry, R. N.** the celebrated Polar Navigator, has accepted proposals made to him by the Australian Agricultural Company, to go out in June, as Commissioner of the Association, to Port Stephens, about 90 miles northward of Sydney, the capital of New South Wales. He is to receive £2000 per annum for four years, with a pension of £300 for life after the expiration of that period of service. Lady Parry, daughter of Sir John Stansfeld, Bart., is to accompany him to Port Stephens, and there can be little doubt but the abilities, zeal, perseverance, moderation, firmness, and moral example of Sir Edward, will prove highly beneficial to the Company's interests in that remote settlement.

**From Liverpool.**—By the arrival of the ship Harriet of Liverpool on the 18th inst. after a passage of 18 days, the vessel was found to be laden with 1000 slaves (163 in number) from Norfolk to the African colony. They continued healthy during the voyage, and were all landed in good condition, but a long spell of dry weather had subjected them all, with very few exceptions, to the fever of the country, but of these only two others were convalescent. The mortality in some cases was produced by indigestion in the fruits of the climate. Nearly all of the Harriet's crew were sick while lying at Liberia. Mr. Phoenix, her second mate, (a foreigner) died. Capt. Trevelyan, having the assistance of the Rev. Dr. Randall, the Governor of the Colony, sent out by the Society at Washington. The Vice-Agent Dr. Medlin, had assumed the government of the colony in the room of Dr. Randall, and was actively attending to its duties. The town consisted of 80 to 100 houses, and others were daily erecting. Seven or eight hundred slaves were landed. The country was well defended by a fort, mounting five pieces of cannon of large calibre, among them eighteen pounders, and garrisoned by two companies of fully uniformed volunteers, of about thirty men each.

**The Moorish Prince.**—We have seen (says the Journal of Commerce) a letter from Prince Abdol-Rahman, lately a slave in Mississippi, dated Morocco, City of Liberia, Africa, April 13th. He has ascertained that his relatives in France are still the reigning family of the country, and is able, by means of travellers, to transmit or receive communications in the space of 15 days. "My brother," he says, "is the present King, having been enthroned after his father's death, and he has placed his expectations on him to all his subjects." He expresses the deepest sympathy for his children who are still in slavery in Mississippi, and says "their emancipation would be paramount to every other consideration."

**Mexico.**—Capt. Mathews, of the brig Eliza of New York, together with his mate and crew, have been imprisoned at Toluca, in consequence of a punishment inflicted by the Captain and agent of the Eliza on the cook, who had stolen and sold several articles of the cargo. The punishment took place on board the vessel. While the Captain and crew were thus confined and the brig left unprotected, most of her sails, rigging, cabin furniture and stores, had been stolen. Capt. Mathews was expected soon to be released, and would then proceed to New Orleans with passengers.

**Invasion of Mexico.**—The Journal of Commerce states, that on the 12th inst. an expedition was fitting out at Havana and Mantanzas for the invasion of Mexico. It was said that the landing would be made at Campechy, with 5000 men; where the troops would encircle the city, and await the arrival of 20,000 expected from the city of Vera Cruz. Santa Cruz has been elected President of Bolivia, and Col. Armas, Vice President. The political agitation has in some measure subsided. General Blanco was shot in an action in the late revolution. There is a question whether

his death was accidental, or whether he was deliberately shot, as was Don Manuel Dorrego, some time since in Buenos Ayres.

It was reported at Porto Cabello, that Colombia had again declared war against Peru.

There is said to be at this time 18 or 20 American vessels of the largest class in Calao Harbor. A tariff, which was to have gone into operation on the 15th of February is assigned as the cause.

Mad dogs had become so numerous at Havana, that the Police directed all dogs to be killed found going at large in the streets, and had the dogs of the hydrophobic. Several persons had been bitten, and some of the number had died of the hydrophobic.

**Buenos Ayres.**—Lavalle, who effected a revolution in December, and placed himself at the head of the Government, was beset on all sides. He marched against Santa Fe, but was soon compelled to return to protect Buenos Ayres, from a party collected by Manuel Rosas and his brother, Lopez the Governor of Santa Fe, with 3500 men followed him, and united his forces near the city with the force of Rosas, consisting of Gauchos and Indians, making in all from 5 to 6000 men. On the 26th April, Lavalle with 1500 regular troops, gave them battle, the result of which is not positively known, but generally believed to be in favor of Rosas' party.

An Infant School has been established at the Methodist mission station at Bellville, on Grape Island, U. C.

#### DOMESTIC.

A letter from an officer on board the U. S. ship Guerriere, dated Rio Janeiro, April 15th, says, "Our claims as to captured vessels, appear in a fair way for adjustment."

Letters received in Norfolk, from the U. S. ship Guerriere, state that the small pox was very prevalent on board that ship and the Harriet, while at Rio de Janeiro, Mississippi Levi Lincoln, Jr. son of the Gov. of Massachusetts, and Henry Dancourt, of Louisiana, had fallen victims to it.

The U. S. ship Natchez carries out Mr. Moore our Minister to Colombia, and thence proceeds to Brazil with Commodore Casco, appointed to succeed Commodore Crockett in the command of the squadron on the Brazil station. Several other officers go out in the Natchez to join that squadron.

The Ontario sloop of war is now fitting out at New York, and is to be commanded by Capt. Thomas H. Stephens. She is to carry out Mr. Lee, Consul General to Algiers, and will then join the Mediterranean squadron.

Com. Riddle is appointed to the command of the Mediterranean squadron in place of Com. Crane, who has asked leave to return home.

**Consul at Liverpool.**—We learn, that the venerable James Maury, of Virginia, American Consul at Liverpool, to which office he was appointed by Washington, is removed, and Mr. P. Ogden, of New-Jersey, is appointed in his place.

**Lo the poor Indian!**—The Editor of the Palladium has the following remarks: "From the present General Government, the Indians need not expect redress, for several of the present Cabinet were in favor of enforcing the Mackinac Treaty, which was surreptitiously obtained by the State of Georgia. The Indians will, no doubt, be driven from their homes into the wilderness, or appear, as usual, with unknown wealth," will surely be their avenger.

In the late election for the choice of Representative in Congress for the Hancock and Washington district in Maine, there were six principal candidates, no one of whom had half the number of votes necessary for a choice. This is the fourth time, in four successive trials, Mr. O'Brien, the late member, is the highest candidate, but four.

In the election in the Kennebec district for the choice of a member in place of Mr. Sprague there was no choice. Mr. Reed Williams had 1857 votes, and Mr. George Evans 1473, necessary for a choice 2263. The whole number of votes in the Hancock and Washington district was 4520, and in the Kennebec 4525.

**Good Government.**—The City government of Boston has refused leave to the Trustees of Tremont Theatre, who wished to play on the evening of Saturday the 4th inst.

**The Grog Shop Case.** as it has been called, at New-York, was tried on Monday. This was an action of the keeper of a grog-shop against the Mayor and an Alderman, for refusing him a license. The jury retired to consult upon the case, and after an absence of two or three minutes returned into court, but the plaintiff not appearing, a nonsuit was entered accordingly.—N. Y. Journ. of Com.

Mr. Wirt has been engaged as Counsel by the proprietors of Warren Bridge, in case the cause should be carried into the United States Supreme Court.

**Militia of New Hampshire.**—The Adjutant General's returns for 1829 are as follows:—Infantry, Light Infantry and Grenadiers, 24,842; Cavalry, 1,401; Artillery, 1,392; Riflemen, 861; amounting in the whole to twenty-eight thousand nine hundred men, making an increase from the last year of 6000. The militia of this State, it appears that the State's quota for the last two years are now due from the United States Government.

**Maine Capital.**—The Corner stone of the State House, about to be erected at Augusta, is to be laid on the morning of the 4th of July by Gov. Enoch Lincoln, with appropriate ceremonies.

**Literary Fund.**—The Legislature of New-Hampshire gave this fund to the towns, last year, for the support of schools. At the late session, Mr. Chagget introduced a bill for the repeal of the act, which was indefinitely postponed, 124 to 84. On the following day, Mr. Chase's bill, providing for the suspension of the act for one year, and a loan of the money to the State, was postponed by a still more decisive vote.

The Committee for nominating professors in the Medical Institution of Yale College, have nominated Doctors Thomas Hubbard and William Tully, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Dr. Smith, and to complete the number, five, to which the Institution is now entitled by an act of the Legislature.

**N. Haven Chron.**  
The Trustees of Transylvania University and the Union Philosophical Society of that institution, have applied to the public for aid in repairing the losses sustained by the burning of the principal College building and the philosophical apparatus.

**State Printing.**—The Secretary and the Treasurer, under an order of the Legislature of the 11th inst. have conferred with Messrs. Dutton and Wentworth of this city to execute the State Printing for the current year.

The Board of Managers of the American Colonization Society, have resolved to wear crepe for one month, as a token of respect for the memory of Dr. Richard Randall, late Colonial Agent at Liberia.

**Longevity.**—The ages of Gershom Crane, his wife and 7 children, ranged from 77 to 93; and averaged 81 years, 10 months and 14 days. Mr. C. was born and died in Berkeley, Ms. and his children spent their days in that town or vicinity.



